## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE AT FRANKLIN

IN RE:	THE MATTER OF NAME CHANGE OF )  CASE NO		
	PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE		
Con	nes the Petitioner,, and respectful		
states as f	ollows:		
1.	Petitioner is a citizen and resident of Williamson County, Tennessee.		
2.	Petitioner's address is:		
3.	Petitioner requests his/her name to be changed to:		
4.	Petitioner desires the name change for the following reasons:		
5.	Petitioner [ ] has [ ] has no other aliases. If yes, they are as follows:		
6.	Petitioner has never been convicted of:		

- (A) First or second degree murder; or
- (B) Any offense, the commission of which requires a sexual offender to register pursuant to the Tennessee Sexual Offender and Violent Sexual Offender Registration, Verification and Tracking Act of 2004, compiled in title 40, chapter 39, part 2 or Tennessee Code Annotated § 40-39-101 (see attached selected Tennessee Code Annotated § 40-39-202 sections). If you have <u>any questions</u> concerning the selected Code sections as attached, please seek the advice of an attorney before submitting this Petition.
- 7. Petitioner has no desire or intention to mislead any present or potential creditor(s) by having his/her name changed, nor will he/she use his/her name change for any fraudulent purpose(s). If the Court has reason to believe that this Petition is being made to defraud or mislead, is not being

made in good faith, will cause injury to an individual or to compromise public safety, then the Petition shall be DENIED.

Shall be DEMIED.			
8. If Petitioner has a felony	y conviction, for an offense not enumerated i	n numbered	
paragraph 6(A) and (B), then this Petitio	on is presumed to be made in bad faith, to defrau	d or mislead,	
to cause injury to an individual or to co	ompromise public safety. This name change	shall not be	
granted unless Petitioner proves by o	clear and convincing evidence (the highest civ	/il standard)	
this Petition is not based upon an intent to defraud or mislead, is made in good faith, will not			
cause injury to an individual and will	not compromise public safety.		
8. Petitioner [ ] requests [ ]	does not request the present name as currently	reflected in	
the birth certificate be blocked or deleted	d and the new name inserted.		
WHEREFORE, Petitioner prays a	an Order be entered pursuant to Tennessee Cod	le Annotated	
§ 29-8-101, changing Petitioner's legal n	name from		
to			
This matter is hereby set to be	heard before the Court on the day of		
, 20 at 8:45 a.m.			
	Respectfully submitted,		
	Petitioner		
	Address		
STATE OF TENNESSEE )			
COUNTY OF WILLIAMSON )			
Personally appeared before me th	ne said,	and after	
being duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts averred in the above Petition are true to the best of his/her knowledge, information, and belief, this the day of, 20			
	Notary/Circuit Court Clerk/Deputy Circuit Court C	lerk	
My Commission Expires:			